

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 06478.1500

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Hubert JANSEN et al.) Group Art Unit: 3761
Application No.: 10/791,869) Examiner: WIEST, PHILIP R
Filed: March 4, 2004))
For: SELF-SEALING MEDICAL FLUID TRANSFER DEVICE) Confirmation No.: 5244

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a third-month extension of time, further to the two-month extension of time already petitioned and paid for on October 17, 2007, to file a reply to the Office Action of May 18, 2007. A fee of \$590.00, which corresponds to the three-month extension of time fee of \$1,050.00 minus the two-month fee of \$460.00 previously paid, is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: November 14, 2007

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